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RECIPROCITY

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Class	Fee	No. Applications	Validity
A-1	[A]	[A]	[A]
A-2	[A]	[A]	[A]
A-3 [1]	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS
B-1	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
B-2	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
B-1/B-2	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
C-1	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
C-1/D	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
C-2	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
C-3	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
D	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
E-1 [2]	NO TREATY		
E-2 [2]	NO TREATY		
F-1	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
F-2	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
G-1	[A]	[A]	(A)
G-2	[A]	[A]	[A]
G-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
G-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
G-5 [1]	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
H-1B	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
H-1C	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
H-2A	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
H-2B	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
H-3	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
H-4	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
I	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS
J-1 [4]	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS
J-2 [4]	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS
K-1	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
K-2	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
K-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	3 MONTHS
K-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	3 MONTHS
L-1	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
L-2	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
M-1	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
M-2	NONE	TWO	3 MONTHS
N-8	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
N-9	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
NATO 1-7	N/A	N/A	N/A
O-1	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]

O-2	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
O-3	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
P-1	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
P-2	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
P-3	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
P-4	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
Q-1 [6]	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [3]
R-1	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS
R-2	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS
S-5 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
S-6 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
S-7 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
T-1 [9]	N/A	N/A	N/A
T-2	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
T-3	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
T-4	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
TD [5]	N/A	N/A	N/A
V-1	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS
V-2	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [8]
V-3	NONE	ONE	3 MONTHS [8]

[A] The United States and North Korea have no diplomatic relations.

SPECIAL CLEARANCE AND ISSUANCE PROCEDURES

(TL:VISA-213 10-12-2000)

General.

DOCUMENTS AND RECORDS

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There is no information on availability of documents for residents and/or nationals of North Korea.

Submission of Visa Applications and Photographs

(TL:VISA-213 10-12-2000)

A copy of the visa application Form OF-156 of all nonimmigrant visa recipients, with a recent original photograph firmly affixed two photographs in the case of professional diplomatic couriers, must be sent directly and expeditiously to the Northeast Regional Computer Support Center, 1203 Nealis Avenue, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey 07703, Attention: Dept. IIS. This procedure is in addition to the telegraphic name check and security advisory opinion requirements listed below. Exceptions to this procedure are:

1. No application or photograph need be submitted in cases involving Chiefs and deputy chiefs of state, heads of government, chiefs of mission, their immediate families and accompanying crew members; and
2. No photograph need be provided if one has been submitted within the previous three years.

Visa Stamped on Form OF-232

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Due to the absence of diplomatic relations between the United States and North Korea [Democratic People's Republic of Korea], and in accordance with 22 CFR 41.113(b), nonimmigrant visas may not be placed in North Korean passports. Instead, visas must be stamped on Form OF-232.

Nonofficial Travel

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VISAS DONKEY Security Advisory Opinion Requests: A VISAS DONKEY telegram must be submitted for all classes of immigrant and nonimmigrant visa applicants who are nationals of North Korea, or who carry North Korean passports, except for those cases requiring a VISAS BEAR security advisory opinion (see below). The Department's response is required prior to visa issuance.

Official Travel

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Representatives of the North Korean Government Not Entitled to Certain Visa Classifications: Persons representing the North Korean Government are not entitled to certain visa classifications absent the de jure recognition of North Korea by the United States, therefore, individuals representing the North Korean Government are not entitled to A-1, A-2, C-3, G-1 or G-2 status.

VISAS BEAR Security Advisory Opinion Requests: A VISAS BEAR telegram must be submitted on all G-3, G-4, and G-5 visa applications made by nationals of North Korean or who carry North Korean passports. The Department's response is required prior to visa issuance.

Port of Entry Restrictions for G-3, G-4 and G-5 Visa Holders

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North Korean bearers of G-3, G-4, and G-5 visas may only enter the United States at JFK Airport in New York City, and their visas should be annotated accordingly. There are no restrictions on the ports through which North Korean officials may depart the United States.

VISA ISSUING POST

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No specific post has been named to accept North Korean cases. When visa issuance is necessary, as for visits to the United Nations in New York, the U.S. Embassy at Beijing, generally, processes the applications since Beijing is the most convenient location.